

FILE COPY

BEYER WEAVER & THOMAS, LLP

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW
2030 Addison Street, Seventh Floor, Berkeley, CA 94704
Telephone: (510) 843-6200 Facsimile: (510) 843-6203
www.beyerlaw.com

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

May 18, 2004

Receiver: Office of Initial Patent Examination

FAX # : 703-746-9195

Sender: Haruo Yawata
Our Ref. No.: ALPSP147

Application No: 10/782,089

Re: Request for Corrected Filing Receipt

Pages Including Cover Sheet(s): 06

MESSAGE:

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE

The information contained in this facsimile (FAX) message is legally privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the receiver or firm named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended receiver, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copying of this FAX is strictly prohibited. If you have received this FAX in error, please immediately notify the sender at the telephone number provided above and return the original message to the sender at the address above via the United States Postal Service. Thank you.

EW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hirofumi OKUMURA

Attorney Docket No.: ALPSP147

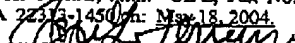
Application No.: 10/782,089

Examiner: Not Assigned

Filed: February 18, 2004

Group: 2832

Title: MAGNETIC SWITCH CAPABLE OF
PERFORMING NORMAL DETECTION FOR A
LONG PERIOD OF TIME

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION:
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by
facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office,
Commissioner for Patents, Attn: OIPE, Fax No. 703-746-9195,
Alexandria, VA 22314-1450 on: May 18, 2004.
Signed: 
Joyce L. Ferreira

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop OIPE
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of the Filing Receipt for the above-identified patent application.
Please reprint the Filing Receipt as follows and mail the corrected copy to the undersigned.

Change the foreign application priority from "JAPAN 20033-045418 02/24/2003" to
-- JAPAN 2003-045418 02/24/2003 --.

A copy of the Declaration indicating the correct priority information is enclosed for your
review.

Since this is a Patent Office typographical error, no fee should be due. However, the
Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to Deposit Account 500388
(Order No. ALPSP147).

Respectfully submitted,
BEYER WEAVER & THOMAS, LLP



Haruo Yawata
Limited Recognition under 37 C.F.R. §10.9(b)

P.O. Box 778
Berkeley, CA 94704-0778



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1430
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1430
www.uspto.gov

APPL NO.	FILING OR 371 (c) DATE	ART UNIT	FIL FEE RECD	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLMS	IND CLMS
10/782,089	02/18/2004	2832	770	ALPSP147	4	5	1

022434
BEYER WEAVER & THOMAS LLP
P.O. BOX 778
BERKELEY, CA 94704-0778

CONFIRMATION NO. 4779

FILING RECEIPT

OC000000012643387

Date Mailed: 05/13/2004

Receipt is acknowledged of this regular Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s) Hirofumi Okumura, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN;

Assignment For Published Patent Application
ALPS ELECTRIC CO., LTD.;

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

Foreign Applications JAPAN 20033-045418 02/24/2003
- 2003 -

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 05/13/2004

Projected Publication Date: 08/26/2004

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Magnetic switch capable of performing normal detection for a long period of time

DOCKET NO:	
DOCKETED:	DA
PREVIOUS:	
ACQUISITION:	
FILE NUMBER:	02/18/2004